

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR SECTION 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - GROUP 2879**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Yoji Yamamoto

Serial No.: 10/755,528

Filed: January 12, 2004

For: CATHODE STRUCTURE INCLUDING
BARRIER FOR PREVENTING METAL
BRIDGING FROM HEATER TO
EMITTER (AS AMENDED)

Examiner: Hodges, Matthew P.

Group Art Unit: 2879

December 15, 2006

Costa Mesa, California 92626

RULE 116 RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sirs:

In response to the Office Action of September 22, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows.